

## REMARKS

Applicants request reconsideration of the subject application in view of the foregoing amendments and the following remarks.

Claims 5, 17-19 and 21-32 are pending, of which claims 21-31 have been withdrawn. Claims 17-19 are amended herein, and claims 1-4, 6-16, 20 and 33 have been canceled.

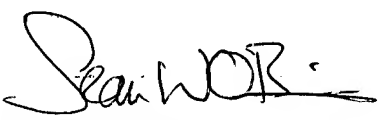
Applicants gratefully acknowledge the Examiner's indication that claims 5 and 32 are allowed, and that claims 17-19 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. By virtue of the foregoing amendments, claims 17-19 have been rewritten in independent form, and are therefore submitted to be allowable. The remaining claims have been canceled.

The rejections under 35 USC §§ 102 and 103 are submitted to be moot in view of the cancellation of all rejected claims.

The application is submitted to be in condition for allowance, and Applicants request an early notice thereof.

Please charge any deficiency in fees associated with filing this response to our Deposit Account No. 15-0750, Order No. OT-4465.

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